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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (PM/CL)

SUBJECT: Interim Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding
Commuted Ration Rates for FY 2003 (DFAS Item L-60)

Attached is Interim Change 45-02 to Chapter 38 of the
Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A. It
is effective October 1, 2002. This change incorporates an
increase to the service academy cadet and midshipmen commuted
ration rate into the DoDFMR.

This is a routine change and the result of directed action
that does not affect existing policies. A draft of this change
was not provided for comment. Assignment of the interim change
number is your authority to initiate a procedural modification to
implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal
change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.

for Gloria D. Harris
Jerry S. Hinton
Director for Finance

Attachment:
As stated

cc: OUSD(C) (ODCFO) (FP)
DASD(MPP) (Comp)
ODGC(F)
Service Liaisons
USCG/NOAA/PHS Liaisons
DFAS-GAM/DE
DFAS-PMJE/DE
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CADET AND MIDSHIPMEN COMMUTED RATION RATE FOR FY-03**1. Change Chapter 38, Section 3803 to read as follows:**

3803 Cadets and midshipmen are entitled to rations in kind or commuted rations at the rate of \$5.75 (effective October 1, 2002) per day at all times. This includes periods while they are at the academies, on authorized leave, sick in hospitals, and in a travel status for which a per diem is payable.

2. Make the following changes to the bibliography under section 3803:

- a. remove the citation:** OUSD(C) Memo, Jun 26, 2001.
- b. insert a new citation:** OUSD(C) FY03 Reimbursable Rates, Tab B